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Snow or rain tonight  
and Saturday

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## OLD HALIFAX IS TO RESUME OPERATIONS

KERNS AND KEITH INTERVIEW.  
ED AT SALT LAKE RECENTLY  
ON THE SUBJECT.

There is a report going the rounds of local mining circles that the old Halifax mine, located south of town on the Manhattan road, and which has lain idle since a patent was secured on the ground in 1902, is to be opened up and developed.

The largest stockholders in the property are Senator Kerns and D. Keith of Salt Lake, and they were here last spring looking over the property. It was anticipated, as a result of their visit, that there would be something doing on the property.

About two weeks ago Ike McKay was over here from Goldfield looking over the property, in which he is interested. He stated that he intended leaving at once for Salt Lake to see Kerns and Keith with regard to resuming operations.

From all of which it is inferred that the Halifax may again be put in the list of live ones. It has a main shaft down 900 feet, timbered throughout, although it is said in case work is resumed a new shaft will be sunk.

## SAYS NURSES ARE TRYING TO POISON HIM

PATIENT AT COUNTY HOSPITAL  
THINKS HE IS GETTING ALL  
THE WORST OF IT.

A man when he is ill gets queer notions at times—how queerly his mind may act only those in attendance at a hospital can conceive. The other day the Bonanza had an item with reference to "Cranky" Burns, an old-time miner of this section, who is about ready to "pass in his checks" at the county hospital. Burns has now taken idea that the attendants at the hospital are trying to poison him, and in consequence refuses to take any medicine whatever.

He consents to take a little whiskey occasionally, however, but only upon Mrs. Court's assurance that it is not doped. Burns' condition is growing steadily worse, and he has but a few more days to live, in the opinion of the county physician.

**NEVADA FLOODS BLOCKADE  
TRAINS SALT LAKE LINE**  
LOS ANGELES, Jan. 27.—Floods in the Meadow valley wash in Nevada, along the route of the San Pedro, Los Angeles & Salt Lake railroad, have blockaded that line. It is hoped by the officials to lift the blockade within forty-eight hours. Meanwhile all through trains between Los Angeles and Salt Lake have been annulled. Trains leaving this city were turned back yesterday and the passengers sent east by another route.

## STAYS AT POST AND DEFIES THE PLAGUE

By Associated Press.  
PEKING, Jan. 27.—Owing to the prevalence of plague, railway traffic in North China has ceased except from Tien Tsin to Peking and between this city and Hankow. Service on the German line from Tien Tsin to Pukow has been suspended and the prospect of further suspensions has been announced, causing many foreigners here to arrange for a hasty departure from the city. Those leaving include Louis Elmslein, secretary of the American legation, and other diplomats and their wives. American Minister Calhoun intends to remain, realizing that while the disease is deadly

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and infectious, it is not contagious. Physicians believe the germ will be exterminated with the approach of warm weather. Reports from Harbin say the Chinese authorities have given medical men permission to burn three sections of the Chinese city. More troops have been sent to made the cordon about the affected areas more effective.

### ANOTHER OPIUM SEIZURE.

By Associated Press.  
SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 27.—Another seizure of contraband opium smuggled into this country on the steamer Korea, was made today by customs officers after a running fight with two men who were attempting to land it from a small boat. The smugglers made their escape, leaving behind 300 five-tael tins of the best grade of opium, valued at \$12,000.

### FOR GOOD OF SERVICE ADMIRAL BARRY RESIGNS

By Associated Press.  
WASHINGTON, Jan. 27.—By direction of the president, Secretary Meyer has asked Rear Admiral Barry for his resignation. It has been received and accepted today. "For the good of the service," was the reason given.

### EXPOSITION DISCUSSION POSTPONED TO MONDAY

By Associated Press.  
WASHINGTON, Jan. 27.—Owing to the indisposition of Governor Sanders and Senator Foster of Louisiana, the senate committee on industrial expositions today postponed until Monday the hearing of the rival claims of New Orleans and San Francisco as the Panama exposition site.

## WILL SWING AROUND CIRCLE THIS SPRING

By Associated Press.  
WASHINGTON, Jan. 27.—Early in March President Taft will make a short swing through the South, winding up at his home town, Cincinnati. At Atlanta he will address the Southern Commercial congress. He will speak to the Friendly Sons of St. Patrick at Cincinnati on March 17.

### LOOKING FOR ONE VICTIM THEY FOUND TWO

By Associated Press.  
EL PASO, Jan. 27.—A band of robbers appeared at San Pedro, Mexico, and carted off \$7000 worth of merchandise belonging to Manuel Abascal.

He formed a posse and followed the robbers. He saw a man in the road and fired, killing him. The man proved to be an innocent farmer. The posse then shot Abascal dead and abandoned the chase.

## BOYCOTT SUIT HAS DRAMATIC ENDING TODAY

By Associated Press.  
WASHINGTON, Jan. 27.—The boycott case of the Buck Stove and Range company of St. Louis against the American Federation of Labor came to a dramatic close in the supreme court of the United States today, the court deciding it was a question it could not hear.

### FEAST OF SAINT SABA CELEBRATED TODAY

Today is the feast of Saint Saba, who ranks way up in G in the south of Europe countries, and here in Tonopah the Slavonian population is celebrating the event. To a Slavonian this date corresponds to St. Patrick's day in the mind of an Irishman.

Tonight, at the Nevada theater, the Serbian society of Tonopah will give a public entertainment in honor of the patron saint. It will include music and a literary program.

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## CLASH ON THE BORDER OF PERU AND EQUADOR

A Gunboat Is Dispatched by P  
Mexican Revolutionists Still Act.  
---Honduran Leader Lays  
Down His Hand.

By Associated Press.  
LIMA, Jan. 27.—Rumors of another encounter of Peruvians and Ecuadorians on the frontier is confirmed. The Peruvian cruiser Admirante Grau has sailed for Pahtli, on the northwest coast, carrying 200 infantry to reinforce the frontier guard.

Two hundred Peruvian soldiers attacked the village of Chacraes, Ecuador, near the boundary. Three Ecuadorians were killed and eight wounded.

### Ambushed the Troops.

SAN JOSE, Mexico, Jan. 27.—Details of the losses of the federal troops under Colonel Dorante, received today, show he lost 115 men when his soldiers were led into am-

## UNEMPLOYED IN BERLIN GET OBSTREPEROUS

By Associated Press.  
BERLIN, Jan. 27.—A large crowd of unemployed attempted a hostile demonstration in the vicinity of the palace today at the time when Emperor William was transmitting the password to the castle watch. The crowd, driven away by the police, marched through the central district hurling insulting epithets at the officers and shouting "We want work!"

### NEGRO MINER SHOT.

By Associated Press.  
MARION, Ill., Jan. 27.—Walter Harris, a negro miner, was shot six times and probably fatally wounded at Dewmaine, south of here, last night by a crowd of enraged negroes, while he was attempting to kidnap his own child.

## OLD PIONEER PASSES AWAY AT HAWTHORNE

DEATH OF N. DONDERO, ONE OF  
THE PIONEERS OF THE  
'70s IN MONO.

George Dondero left here this morning for Hawthorne, in response to a telegram from his brother Steve, conveying the sad intelligence of the death of their father at that point on the 25th inst.

The funeral will be held at Reno tomorrow, the family accompanying the body from Hawthorne to that point.

The deceased was one of the pioneers of Mono county, taking up his residence there in the early '70s. He engaged in ranching, and was one of the best known citizens of that section. He was public-spirited and hospitable, and possessed hosts of friends in California and Nevada.

The deceased leaves behind him a widow, four daughters and six sons to mourn his loss.

### SUPPORT OF MANSION AT \$250 PER MONTH

CARSON, Jan. 27.—Senator Mills of Ormsby yesterday introduced in the upper house senate bill No. 14, calling for an appropriation of \$6000 for the support and maintenance of the governor's mansion. Out of the appropriation the sum of \$250 is to be paid monthly on the regulation of the governor.

The measure was introduced by Senator Mills by request.

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bush near Ojinaga. The revolutionary loss was two killed.

P. H. McCoombs, a Seattle man, was in the battle with the insurgents. He claims to have killed several soldiers. After the battle the insurgents retired to the Rio Grande, where they replenished their ammunition.

Today they returned to the mountains, passing within sight of the federal garrison at Ojinaga.

### Give Up the Fight.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 27.—Ramon Solo, the Honduran revolutionary leader, with his principal followers, has given up the movement against President Bonilla and sought safety in Salvador, according to advices received by the state department.

## FRISCO ADDS ANOTHER MURDER TO ITS LIST

By Associated Press.  
SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 27.—In the Saratoga Gambling club here today Gustave Postler, a contractor, was shot dead.

Postler, who had been gambling at the club for several weeks, entered the place today accompanied by his 14-year-old son.

Pulling his revolver, he demanded \$1000. Eight men, in the place fled down the fire escape.

Returning with the police, Ed Kripps, one of the owners of the place, opened fire on Postler, killing him instantly. Kripps was formerly manager of the Sacramento baseball team.

It is now uncertain whether Postler was shot by his supposed employer or committed suicide. The evidence of eye-witnesses is conflicting.

## NYE DELEGATION WANTS INCREASE REPRESENTATION

COUNTY APPOINTMENT DOES  
NOT MEET WITH APPROVAL  
OF THE DELEGATES.

CARSON CITY, Nev., Jan. 27.—Quite a bit of feeling is observed on the apportionment of legislators from the different counties to take effect two years from now, in accordance with the bill introduced several days ago by Fulmer of White Pine.

It is now rumored that the Washoe delegation is preparing a like bill that will give that county ten assemblymen, instead of seven, which now constitute the delegation.

Nye county delegates are also preparing a like measure which calls for seven assemblymen and two senators, or three senators and six assemblymen.

It is understood that other representatives will come forward with reapportionment measures, and a merry war is expected.

## STEAMER SINKS; CREW IS SAVED

FREIGHTER BOUND FOR ALASKA  
GOES ASHORE IN BLINDING  
SNOW STORM.

SEATTLE, Jan. 27.—The Pacific Coast Steamship company's wooden steamer Cottage City, which left Seattle for Skagway yesterday evening, with freight, a small list of passengers and crew of sixty men,

Fresh milk and cream at the Tonopah Dairy.

went ashore near Cape Mudge, B. C., at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon in a blinding snow storm.

The passengers and crew were landed safely and the ship is believed to have gone down.

The Cottage City was taking the Nevada Historical Society, of Reno, Nevada, to Alaska, which is near the entrance to Seymour Narrows, near the southeast end of Vancouver island.

Seventeen minutes after the vessel struck Captain A. C. Jansen ordered all hands into the boats and the ship was abandoned. Although a blinding snow storm was raging and a heavy fog prevailed, all of the passengers and crew were taken off safely.

They rowed four miles to Campbell River, a small settlement on Vancouver island, where all except one boat arrived late last night. Second Mate O. Anderson's boat, in which were several passengers, has not been reported in Campbell River but it is believed Anderson put in at one of the smaller settlements where there is no wire communication, and no fears for the safety of those in his care are entertained.

### FIRE THE GAS STOVES

### AND WILL USE COAL

Manager Haas of the Nevada theater today, when he found that the gas company was charging him \$9.70 per night for the vapor burnt in heating the place at night, decided to make a change in the heating arrangements. He discarded the gas stoves and is installing coal stoves instead. Gas, he says, is entirely too costly.

## VESSEL GOES ON THE ROCKS BUT ALL SAVED

By Associated Press.  
SEATTLE, Jan. 27.—No loss of life attended the wreck of the steamer College City, which went ashore in a blinding snowstorm yesterday on Cape Mudge reef, 200 miles north of here.

All the passengers and crew are safe at Campbell River, Vancouver island. The vessel is a total loss.

The Cottage City was broken in two amidships. There were ninety-five people on the steamer when she struck. The landed boats will be brought here tonight.

### Safety Floated.

SEATTLE, Jan. 27.—The Canadian steam Ties, which went on the rocks in Barclay Sound last night, was safely floated today, having sustained little damage. The passengers were landed and taken to Victoria on the revenue cutter Tahoma.

## COMEDY AND DRAMA SHOWN AT BUTLER

As usual, there will be an entire change of program at the Butler this evening. The pictures will be four in number.

La Petite Ruth and Master Hershel will be seen again in an entirely new sketch. These little artists will appear at the first show of tomorrow's and Sunday's matinees.

The pictures for tonight are: "Little Snowdrop" (fairy story); "White Roses" (biograph drama); "Recreation of an Heiress" (biograph comedy), and a great Selig Indian subject, entitled "On the Road to Tremont."

This picture was taken at Mt. Shasta, in California, and the scenery and acting is of the best.

The first show begins at 6:50 on account of the length of the program.

### FORMER SHERIFF DIES.

William H. McCormack, an early day sheriff of Douglas county, died in Santa Cruz, Cal., on the 19th. He was a native of Illinois and 53 years of age. He leaves a wife. He was also a member of Genoa lodge, I. O. O. F. The funeral will take place in Reno.

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## INDUCEMENTS OFFERED FOR CANVASSER

CHICAGO HOUSE WANTS A MAN  
TO HUSTLE BUSINESS—A  
LIBERAL OFFER.

Some of these Eastern mail-order houses are wide awake to every opportunity to get business from the smaller towns of the country. If necessary (in order to get a local canvasser in these towns they will offer unlimited inducements. Witness the following from a Chicago house to an employee of the Bonanza:

"You have been highly recommended to us, and from the information we have received you are just the man we want to work for us. If \$85 per month and expenses, with our advance check of \$50, when engaged, will be any incentive to go to work for us, taking orders or appointing agents, we would like to have you write at once for particulars. The instructions sent you when engaged are so complete that previous experience becomes unnecessary. Our goods knock out all competition."

It looks good on the surface, but when one writes for the job there will be all sorts of conditions attached, first of which, in all probability, will be a demand that a bond of \$1000 or so be put up to protect them. And the man here will find he must earn his commissions before he gets any salary.

## GRAND JURY INVESTIGATING VOTE BUYING

By Associated Press.  
DANVILLE, Ill., Jan. 27.—Judge E. R. Kimbrough, instigator of the present grand jury investigation of the alleged vote traffic, frankly discussed today the story being told that he and Mayor Platt, at the latter's election, went around the precincts with an automobile carrying money to the workers.

The judge admitted he made such a trip, but denied the money was used for illegitimate purposes. He said vote-buying was not a crime in Danville, operating under a special city election law, after eighteen months had passed.

Mayor Platt and Judge Kimbrough announce they will go before the inquisitors and unreservedly tell all they know.

Late yesterday subpoenas were issued and given the sheriff's office for immediate service which made the city gasp.

The political aspect of the move was intensified when Foreman Woodyard showed surprise when he was asked about the new list of prosecutions, which is now the chief topic of conversation in Danville.

Foreman Isaac Woodyard, who has said, "Just wait, we will get to the bottom of this thing," had only a smile for questioners last night. Many subpoenas were issued in defiance of the instructions of Judge Kimbrough, who told the grand jurors they were empowered only to investigate alleged vote traffic during the last 18 months.

The court's interpretation of the law, which exempted his own election because of the limitation he had set, also excluded from examination the election of State's Attorney John H. Lewman and Mayor Louis Platt.

### CONCRETE DEFIES THE GRAVE ROBBERS

By Associated Press.  
CAMBRIDGE, Mass., Jan. 27.—The body of Mrs. Mary Baker G. Eddy, founder of Christian Science, was removed from the receiving tomb and buried at Halloway Lake, Mount Auburn cemetery, yesterday afternoon.

In the construction of the grave, the skill of the engineers was invoked to make it impervious to desecration or even to decay. The coffin rests on four feet of concrete and is encased in steel uprights. Upon this rests the copper box with the Christian Science literature and above alternate layers of concrete and steel network to the level of the turf.

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